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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
7 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

8 LESLI CURDY,

9 Plaintiff,

10 v.

11 COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL
12 SECURITY,

13 Defendant.

Case No. C21-5346-MLP

ORDER

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15 On August 25, 2021, the Court ordered Plaintiff to show cause by September 23, 2021,
16 why this case should not be dismissed for failure to prosecute. (Dkt. # 7.) Plaintiff filed a
17 response on September 30, 2021. (Dkt. # 8.) On further review of the record, it appears Plaintiff
18 served Defendants prior to summonses being issued by the Clerk. (*See* dkt. ## 2, 6.) The
19 summonses Plaintiff presumably provided to Defendants, lacking the Clerk's signature and the
20 seal of the Court, were insufficient to effectuate proper service. *See* Fed. R. Civ. Proc. 4(a)(1)(F)-
21 (G).

22 To avoid prejudice to Plaintiff due to counsel's error, the Court finds good cause to
23 extend the deadline for service. *See* Fed. R. Civ. Proc. 4(m). Plaintiff is hereby ORDERED to
effectuate proper service by October 8, 2021.

1 Dated this 30th day of September, 2021.

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3 MICHELLE L. PETERSON
4 United States Magistrate Judge